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**Sent:** Tue 8/7/2012 9:34:13 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Pontoon Removal Proposal adjacent to Bremerton Gasworks Site

Bill,

I am DNR's current Site Manager for Bremerton Gasworks Site and have been working with Kathy to review Early Actions at the site. DNR manages SOAL impacted by these efforts. We also have activities occurring on and/or adjacent to the site that we manage-we want to continue to work closely with you and Kathy to ensure that we do not permit activities in this area that would negatively impact your investigation and/or cleanup.

There is currently a proposal to remove pontoons adjacent to the Sesko Property. These pontoons have been an eyesore and negative impact to nearshore for quite a time now and Mrs. Sesko has not been able to remove. Previous plans to remove through Army operations fell through due to budget shortfalls.

Mrs. Sesko has recently assigned ownership of these pontoons to Thompson Pileremoving so they could scrap. Thompson is now contacting WDFW for an HPA for these actions. WDFW has contacted DNR to identify concerns and I in-turn am contacting EPA before we provide a formal response.

Kathy and I have discussed. The main concern identified to date is to ensure that removal efforts do not impact sampling efforts. Future investigation is focused on PAHs not metals. We will work with WDFW to ensure BMPs are in place to minimize impacts from operation but wanted to know if you wanted to feed into this discussion.

Please give me a call so we can discuss further. We hope to get back to WDFW in next week.

Thank you for your consideration,

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